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TALK OF RAILROAD STRIKE GENERAL

Brotherhood Officers Decline to Make Any Statement

CANNOT FORESEE COURSE

Local Officials Believe Walk-out Will Follow if Roads Refuse Union Demands

MEET AT CAPITOL TODAY

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Talk of a railroad strike was general among local union officials from the southeast gathered here tonight, but national officials of the four big brotherhoods declined to affirm or deny that definite strike plans actually were under consideration.

The local leaders came for a conference tomorrow preliminary to the meeting of Brotherhood of railway officials to be held in New York on Thursday. Sectional conferences will be held in other cities and the brotherhood heads insist they cannot forecast their course until the locals from all parts of the country have reported the result of their deliberations.

There were indications, however, that there might be more truth in strike reports than appeared on the surface. The impression among some of the local officials was that a general walk out probably would follow quickly if the roads refused to accede to the Union's demands at Thursday's conference. Saturday was the day most persistently mentioned as likely to see the climax of the long controversy between the roads and their men. To all questions the Brotherhood heads replied that there was nothing to be said; that sentiment among the men the country over would have to be sounded out before a general strike could be ordered and that many locals still were to be heard from.

It was pointed out that very little time would be required to put a strike order into operation if a decision were reached to take that course. All the machinery used to prepare for the big strike narrowly averted last fall could be put into service quickly if the need came.

The present controversy, like that of which it is the outgrowth, revolves around the eight hour day and more than one of the local leaders here tonight declared the brotherhoods had waited too long already while the supreme court deliberated on the constitutionality of the shorter basic day. They agreed that if the roads decline at Thursday's conference to put an 8-hour day into effect forthwith the Unions would have full justification for a strike.

The Union men were unanimous in declaring that in case of a strike, care would be exercised to embark the government as little as possible in international crisis. The government is watching developments closely, however, and probably would itself take a hand should a deadlock seem assured. If a strike appears to be actually threatened President Wilson is expected to make some move for a settlement.

About 200 Brotherhood men from the roads east of the Mississippi and south of the Ohio are expected to attend the meeting here tomorrow. Men from southwestern roads will meet in El Leland tomorrow, those from the eastern roads in New York Wednesday and those from western lines in St. Paul Wednesday. The central states representatives conferred at Cleveland Saturday. Mr. Lee, head of the trainmen's brotherhood said tonight that the men had made no important changes in their demands presented to the railroads last fall. The three other brotherhood heads here to attend the conference heads here to attend the conference, W. S. Carter of the firemen, and L. E. Sheppard of the conductors.

The program of addresses will come at a banquet at night at the Leland Hotel where the day's sessions will be held.

SEEK LAW CURBING LOAN AGENCIES.

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FOOD PRICES ADVANCE NINETEEN PERCENT.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Retail food prices in the United States advanced 19 per cent in the year ending January 15, as shown in statistics prepared today by the bureau of labor statistics. The increase was greater than for the three previous years combined. The four year's gain was thirty per cent.

Every food staple except coffee and tea advanced during the year. Onions and potatoes led with increases of more than fifty per cent.

BURY GEN. FORBES

Washington, March 12.—Funeral services for Brigadier-General Theodore Frelinghuysen Forbes, U. S. A., retired, who died here Saturday night, were held today. Interment was in Arlington cemetery.

PLANS FOR CONTROL OF HOUSE INDEFINITE

Mann Does Not Favor Trading for Republican Control

Republican Leader Predicts Bi-Partisan Organization is "not Improbable"—Clark Believes Extra Session Will Last Six Weeks.

Washington, March 12.—Despite many conferences among leaders and animated discussion of many proposals for working out Democratic, Republican or bi-partisan control of the incoming house of representatives there are signs that the plans of either of the big parties or of the little group of independents will not take definite form until within a few days of the meeting of the special session on April 16.

Fight Cannot be Drawn.

Most of the members have left the capital with the impression that the lines for the organization fight cannot be drawn even so much as a month in advance, because of the shifting of strength due to deaths and the uncertainties surrounding plans for special elections to fill vacancies.

Republican Leader Mann, who will be the party's candidate for speaker, departed tonight after announcing that he did not favor any trading for Republican control and predicting that bi-partisan organization was "not improbable."

The fluctuating standings of the parties presented tonight the prospect that the Democrats will have 215 votes and the Republicans 214 when the special session convenes. It will require 218 to elect a speaker. The five so-called independents holding the balance of power have been unable so far to agree on a concerted course.

Must Name Democrat.

In order to keep their strength up to 215 the Democrats will have to elect a Democrat in the fifteenth New York district where a special election is to be held April 12 to choose a successor to the late Representative Conry. It is generally conceded however, that the strong Tammany element there will have no difficulty in returning a Democratic majority. The hopes of Republicans that a Republican might be elected in New Hampshire to succeed the late Representative Sulloway, bringing the Republican total up to 215, disappeared today when it was discovered the state statutes would not permit an election before April 16.

During the day Representative Mann telephoned the governors of New York and New Hampshire urging that special elections in the Conry and Sulloway districts be called as quickly as possible.

Mr. Mann added that it is possible, tho' not altogether probable that congress end its extra session in two weeks.

Speaker Clark said tonight however, that he thought the chances favored a session of six weeks and was convinced that the stay of congress would be either short or very long.

GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS GOOD ROADS BOOSTERS

Other Prominent Speakers to Be Heard at Banquet at Leland Hotel Tonight—Proposed Bond Issue to be Given Impetus.

Springfield, March 12.—Governor Lowden will address the members of the Illinois Highway Improvement association at its meeting in this city tomorrow when impetus will be given by good roads boosters to the proposition of issuing \$60,000,000 bonds to improve Illinois highways.

The \$60,000,000 would make possible the building of approximately 4,000 miles of hard road, the backbones of the movement say.

In addition to Governor Lowden, Speaker Shanahan of the house of representatives and members of both houses of the general assembly will be present to address the meeting. Also commercial, agricultural, automobile, labor and social organizations will be represented, Arthur R. Hall, chairman of the legislative committee, says.

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New York, March 12.—Persistent reports were current in railroad circles here today that a country wide strike would result if a satisfactory agreement is not reached at the conference on the question of the eight hour working day to be held here Thursday between the railroad managers and representatives of four brotherhoods of trainmen. It was learned reports were sent to the railroad presidents by agents of the managers stating that plans had been laid by the brotherhood to begin such a strike Saturday night in the event their demands are not met at the conference.

Inquiry at railroad headquarters failed to bring out the source of the reports altho it was definitely learned that such information had been sent them. This information stated that the brotherhood leaders consider they have waited a reasonable time for the supreme court to decide on the Adamson law and "they are going to begin hostilities in a few days" as one railroad representative put it.

The plans of the union leaders, the report said, called for a progressive strike beginning Saturday night and looking to a complete tie-up by the following Wednesday night.

AMERICANS AT FIVE CUBAN STATIONS

ADMIRAL MAYO RECEIVES REPORTS FROM PLACES WHERE FORCES LANDED

500 AT SANTIAGO

SMALLER DETACHMENTS PATROLLING GUANTANAMO, MANZELLO AND NUEVITAS

BANKS REMAIN CLOSED

SANTIAGO, CUBA, MARCH 12

From his base at Guantanamo, Admiral Henry T. Mayo, commander of the United States Atlantic fleet received reports today from at least five Cuban shore stations where American forces have been landed. From none of them, however, came any evidence that the putting ashore of the Americans was the beginning of intervention.

FIVE HUNDRED PATROL CITY

Five hundred marines and bluejackets are patrolling the city, while smaller detachments are doing similar duty in Guantanamo, Manzello and Nuevitas. The only interior station where American men of war have been placed is the El Combe mine, a few miles from Santiago. The Americans here have been careful not to interfere in the least particular with the conduct of the civil government, the officers appointed by the liberals before the evacuation of the city by their troops still remaining in control.

The government advance forces commanded by Pablo and Fausto Menocal, brothers of President Menocal, arrived today at San Luis which was evacuated yesterday by General Comacho after brief fighting, in which there were a few casualties. Rigoberto Fernandez with his force of rebels, is at Songo, southeast of San Luis. This district is about twenty miles north of Santiago. The Menocal brothers said they would await reinforcements before advancing further.

BANKS REMAIN CLOSED

The banks here remain closed under orders from their main offices. It is thought that the most practical reason for the closing of the banks is that much of the funds have been withdrawn by depositors and that all the government funds, something in excess of \$800,000, have been taken by the rebels.

Santiago ceased to be a closed port today. The Cuban gunboat Matanzas, which has been at the mouth of the harbor for two days, left tonight for Guantanamo. She had not been permitted to enter Santiago by Commander Reginald R. Belknap, commanding the American naval forces, who has the mine layer San Francisco and the Cruiser Olympia in the inner harbor.

Between here and Camaguey all business of the Cuban railway has been destroyed. Estimates of the sugar cane burned by the rebels vary widely but apparently no grinding machinery has been destroyed.

BLUEJACKETS LANDED FIRST

It is estimated that Major Fernandez has between three and four thousand men while the government force is reported to amount to about five thousand. The bluejacketed landed first. They were followed by the marines, whose ranking officer is Captain Joseph D. Murray of the forty-third company. Lieutenant L. F. Kimball of the San Francisco is in command of the forces ashore. The headquarters of the Americans is over the consulate. Two by two sentries patrol the streets and a few pieces of light artillery have been placed at the outposts at the city limits.

Apparently there is no resentment against the presence of the Americans in Santiago. Even the local police were invited to continue their duty, the Americans making it clear that they were in the city merely to preserve order.

MEASURE PROPOSES MATERNITY INSURANCE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.—Maternity insurance under state regulation was proposed in a bill introduced in the house at a brief session of the Illinois legislature this afternoon. The bill by Representative Thomas E. Lyon of Springfield, Ill., proposes that the state may grant charters to companies to pay benefits to mothers during the time they are incapacitated by child birth. Both houses of the assembly held plenary sessions this afternoon. A number of bills were advanced. The power house is to be the scene of the big legislative battle of the week, when the constitutional convention resolution, already passed by the senate, comes up for final vote Wednesday. Its advocates now claim 110 votes, eight more than necessary for adoption.

ANNOUNCES RESIGNATION

Sacramento, Cal., March 12.—Governor Hiram W. Johnson, U. S. senator-elect, announced his resignation from the governorship here today, effective March 15. Governor Johnson will be succeeded automatically by William D. Stephens of Los Angeles, a former congressman now lieutenant-governor.

LOWDEN DESIRES TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 12.—Governor Lowden said today that he was very desirous of making three or four major appointments under the new consolidation bill. One or two men the governor has in mind have not consented to serve, he said.

Governor Lowden was closed that afternoon with Representatives of practically every agricultural society in Illinois conferring with them about the naming of the advisory committee of fifteen created by the consolidation bill to work in co-operation with the director of agriculture.

SEARCH OF INTERNED RAIDERS DEFERRED

OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS FROM CAPITAL LACKING

Additional arrests in alleged plot to smuggle explosives to vessels are contemplated, Federal Agents Admit.

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According to naval officers search of the raiders cannot be made without international complications arising therefrom, unless the government equally seizes the ships. Frank Garbarino, special agent of the department of justice in charge of the investigation, is understood to favor searching the ships at once. His force of investigators was increased, several agents of the department, coming here from Washington. Extra customs house men were also assigned to assist in the investigation.

The status of the government's case against those arrested Saturday and held for trial in the federal courts on the charge of smuggling certain goods including valuable chronometers, from the interned ships in violation of the customs laws remains unchanged so far as facts which the authorities here officially have permitted to become public.

Henry Rohner, president of the Henry Rohner company, wholesale grocers of this city, one of the three principals in the alleged customs frauds, asserted his innocence today. He admitted two of his chauffeurs had been arrested as witnesses, had hauled certain articles to and from the ships for Mrs. Helena Fischer, wife of Adelbert Fischer, president of the Scutte-Koertting company, machinists of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Fischer, who are said to be related to the emperor of Germany, are the other principals named by the government in the smuggling plot. With Rohner, they are at liberty under \$5,000 bail for trial at the June term of court.

Rohner declared he had the assurance of Mrs. Fischer that the boxes removed from the vessels contained nothing detrimental to the government. He said the only articles he had taken to the raiders at the instance of Mrs. Fischer were some delicacies which she sent to friends and grocery supplies ordered from his firm by officers of the interned ships for the crews, comprising 850 men.

REQUESTS REMOVAL OF INTERNED RAIDERS

MAJOR OF PHILADELPHIA TELLS DANIELS

CRAFT CONSTITUTE A MENACE TO THE CITY

Washington, March 12.—Formal request for the removal from the League Island navy yard of the interned German commerce raiders.

Prinz Eitel Friedrich, Kron Prinz Wilhelm and the 700 men comprising their crews was made personally to Secretary Daniels on the ground that they constitute a menace to the safety of the city.

The mayor was told that transfer of the German crews already was under consideration and that a suitable place for them was being sought.

He also was assured that every precaution was being taken by the authorities to guard against the possibility of any disturbance by the German sailors, and that they were under constant surveillance by the navy yard authorities.

No official report of the arrest on charges of smuggling of some of the Germans has reached the department. Officials said they had heard informally, however, that several arrests had been made and that rumors were current in Philadelphia that high explosives were being secretly taken aboard the ship. It has been suggested that the interned crews be sent to some inland army barracks.

VATICAN INTERESTED IN REPORTED VISIONS

ROME, March 12—via Paris—

The vatican is taking a great interest in the reported visions of Mlle. Perchand and the command she is supposed to have received instructing her to lead the French armies to victory.

Mlle. Perchand, twenty years of age and the daughter of a farmer of the department of LaVende has stirred the imagination of the French by her declaration, like Joan of Arc, she had seen visions and heard voices commanding her to guide the armies of France to victory.

At present Mlle. Perchand is living in a Paris boarding house conducted by nuns.

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TOO STRONG ON PREPAREDNESS

Down in Washington they are getting a little extreme in this matter of war preparation, for in one of the public schools the pupils are working on models of shells. Officials of the schools declare if war comes that in the manual training department of the school the boys will be able to turn out shells in accordance with specifications furnished by the government. The machine shop at this school has been developed to an unusual degree and when it comes to war preparation the development has been ahead of the times and of the thought of most educators.

WILL REVISE ARMY PROMOTION PLAN.

The army appropriation bill which is re-introduced at the coming session of congress, will provide a revised promotion system. The changes it is said, have been made with the purpose of guaranteeing men long in service the certainty of precedence over those younger in service or who have not been in service at all. Evidently a certain appointment recently made by the president is bearing fruit and friends of the army do not propose to have the rights of loyal officers long in the service jeopardized.

SOCIALISTS WOULD MAKE WAR IMPOSSIBLE.

Socialist workers in St. Louis have proposed a plan which they declare will make war impossible. They suggest the combination of all classes of labor and refusal on the part of these men to do anything to produce commodities necessary for war. To put the plan in effect in this country just now would be equivalent to lining up forces with the kaiser. After this war is over some such organization, if international in its scope, might have the desired effect but it is impossible to accomplish that end by the proposed movement.

Socialists are to be commended in their opposition to all war and the only pity is that they were not stronger in Germany in 1914.

CARRANZA ELECTED PRESIDENT.

If telegraphic reports from the City of Mexico about the election held Sunday were not colored, the nearest to a "real" election in the history of Mexico was held. There was no rival candidate for the honor but the largest vote ever cast in the republic was recorded. Troops were not in evidence and people voted as they pleased in congressional contests. Thus for the first time since 1911 Mexico has a constitutional president. Let us hope that the facts which drift thru subsequently will not go to disprove the first story of the election which indicates that the people to some extent are now being given a voice in the government.

In the days of Diaz the people did not have much voice in governmental affairs but they were in a happier state than they have ever been since. Diaz did much for the cause of education and his system of public improvements and the laws that he imposed upon corporations employing labor were designed for the purpose of distributing work as widely as possible. It is related that he would not permit railroads to use improved mechanical devices for loading or unloading coal, insisting instead that they should have this work done by hand even tho very low wages were paid. In this manner he provided work for many who would otherwise have been entirely dependent upon the public or would have starved to death.

Just what Carranza can do—just how sincere he is in his desire to uphold his country and help his fellow citizens—remains to be seen. In this country he is viewed with a mingled feeling of interest and distrust, coupled with the hope that he may be powerful enough to continue in the presidency and enforce reforms which are vastly needed.

Miss Emma Scott is enjoying a ten day vacation at her home.

Saturday was the 21st anniversary of the birth of Lawrence Oxley and a delightful surprise party was planned by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Oxley. About 40 enjoyed the evening.

Miss Ruth Stewart of Normal visited at the home of Thos. Oxley from Saturday until Monday.

Rev. J. W. Kettle of Rushville assisted Rev. W. E. Keenan in the funeral services held for M. S. Seymour at Providence and also preached at Durbin in the afternoon.

Mr. David Rawlings returned Saturday from a stay of some weeks with his sister in Nevada, Mo.

Mrs. J. H. Rawlings was called to Chicago last week by the illness of the little daughter of Wayne Rawlings.

John Fury of Illinois college spent Saturday and Sunday with Dawson Darley.

Miss Hattie Scott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy McKinney of Lynnville, who is ill.

BODDY LIES IN STATE

Tokio, March 12—The body of George W. Guthrie, American ambassador to Japan, who died last week, is lying in state at the American embassy. The funeral will be held tomorrow with high official honors at Trinity Episcopal Cathedral.

The body will then be taken to Yokohama on a special train to repose in the American Naval Hospital pending its transport to the United States.

The Chamberlain bill does not increase or decrease this existing liability for service. It does provide, as indicated above, training for young men at the age of 19. This training means preparation for service which will be required only in crisis for defense of the nation. The proposed training will be given in the federal training camps or on a naval training ship.

If it fails to be found with that section which provides that the services of men who are trained in accordance with

the provisions of the bill can be used only for defensive warfare. The time might come when it would be highly desirable to call on trained men for offensive warfare. The twelve main provisions of the Chamberlain bill are thus outlined by the military training league:

1. All male citizens, except those who are the sole support of a family, must train in their nineteenth year.

2. No substitutes can be hired.

3. Those trained can be called for service only in a defensive war.

4. They will be called by classes, if at all, the youngest class being the first called.

5. Those trained cannot be called for police or strike duty.

6. Persons convicted of a felony, or notoriously bad characters, to be trained in separate units.

7. No intoxicating liquors or tobacco to be sold or supplied at any military or naval training station.

8. The government pays all expenses, furnishes uniforms, equipment, medical attention, etc. Should a person be disabled while training, or enroute to or from a training camp, he becomes entitled to a pension.

9. No person liable for training can be naturalized as a citizen of the United States, unless he can show a certificate of training, or of exemption.

10. When called for training, young men may express their preference for any branch of service. So far as practicable their wishes will be observed.

11. Those to be trained may express a preference for the time of year in which they will take their training, and so far as practicable their wishes will be observed.

12. The training period will be six months, except that a credit of three months will be allowed to those who have had training in a military or naval school, approved by the federal government.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

A Rejected Patriot

When first arose the talk of war, I offered to enlist. I said, "I'll gladly knock the tar from fifty toes, I wish!" But Uncle Sam refused to take my offer; he cried, "Seat! A dandy soldier you would make with that load of fat!" I'm doomed then to ignoble peace, while others laurels win, because I'm blessed with ample grease, and have a double chin. I must not flash my trusty blade, or don my suit of mail, because, they say, if I were weighed, I'd break the village scale. The beardless stripling may enlist, but there's no chance for me! and I could take him by the wrist, and throw him o'er a tree. My breast is filled with martial ire, I court the scrap and fuss, and I would gladly trade my lyre for sword or blunderbuss. But, no! I hear my country cry, "You can't enlist that's flat! You're not allowed to bleed and die, because you are too fat!" The slender men must stand in line our spangled flag to guard. A melancholy fate is mine, because I've too much lard.

ASBURY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Akers of Manchester spent a part of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Winter and daughters Alma and Inez and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hembrough were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Megginson near Woodson.

Mrs. Richard Oxley entertained the members of the Larkin club at her home last Friday during the hours dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Minnie Green was a Friday guest of her friend Mrs. W. E. Parsons.

Miss Grace Gibson is visiting this week with her aunt, Mrs. George Hardwick near Merritt.

Miss Grace Hembrough is a guest at the home of her uncle William Hembrough near Murrayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Craig left Monday for their home near Webster, N. Dakota.

C. L. Hembrough was a Wednesday guest of his uncle, William Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hembrough and daughter Marie spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Craig.

Raymond Morris spent Saturday with Paul Barrows.

Mrs. R. Y. Gibson and daughter Virginia attended the services at the Grace church in Jacksonville Sunday.

PUBLIC SALE

Tuesday, March 13th at ten a.m. E. M. Harman will sell at the J. C. Fairbank place a mile south of Concord 20 head of good horses and colts, a 6 year old registered Morgan stallion, 26 head of cattle including a pure bred Hereford bull and some good cows, a lot of Durac Jersey gilts and brood sows with pigs by their sides, two pure bred Duroc boars, a gasoline engine and hay press, harness, binder, all kinds of farm implements, 2500 bushels corn, 600 bushels good oats, 19 or 15 tons baled hay and other property. Lunch served on grounds.

BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ashford Ator, near Concord, at Our Savior's hospital, Sunday morning, a son.

Born, Sunday at Passavant hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peterson, 410 South Clay avenue, a daughter.

STURTEVANT

Funeral services for Ersken Sturtevant were held from the M. E. church at Manchester Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Mr. White. Music was furnished by B. L. Main, Ellis Wallace and Miss Essie Langdon with Miss Ethel Riley as organist.

The flowers were cared for by Miss Bella Strawmati, Mrs. Bert Lunsmid and Miss Opal Phillips.

Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery.

The bearers were Harry Beepur, John Weigand, Frank Johnson, William Aufbaugh and John Dunlap.

BOOTHBLACK SHOOTS MAN

San Diego, Cal., March 12—William Clayton, vice-president and managing director of the Spreckles' Companies was shot twice today by Lorenzo Bellomo, a boothblack. Clayton was shot as he left his office to go to lunch and is believed to be fatally wounded. Bellomo was captured.

SENDS NOMINATIONS TO SENATE

Washington March 12—President Wilson sent to the senate today about 1200 nominations which failed of confirmation at the last session of the senate. Almost all are army and navy promotions and postmaster appropriations.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Double Birthday Dinner at Wiley Home

A double birthday dinner was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Wiley, four miles south of Alexander. The day was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Luther Wiley and Mrs. Noel Wiley and the event was planned by Mrs. M. E. Slaughter and Miss Elizabeth Slaughter of Jacksonville. A color scheme of red, white and green was carried out in decoration of the dining room. Flowers presented by Mr. and Mrs. G. T. McKee were used.

The menu included turkey, as well as the two cakes, baked by Miss Slaughter and ornamented, one with thirty four and the other with forty red candles. The guests of honor sat at the ends of the table and the cakes were placed before them. As the candles burned low, all joined in singing, "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

There were many birthday presents, attesting the regard of the friends who joined in observing the day. The afternoon was spent with music and with readings.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wiley, who motored from Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mutch and daughter, Miss Alma, Murrayville; Mr. and Mrs. G. T. McKee, Mrs. Slaughter and Miss Slaughter, Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Six and daughter, Harriet; Mr. and Mrs. Noel Wiley and daughter, Minnie, Alexander.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

As J. Ward, 1310 Lincoln avenue, was happily surprised Sunday evening by a company of twenty-five friends. The occasion was Mr. Ward's 61st birthday. Mrs. Ward had planned the surprise and invited the guests to dinner. A social evening of much pleasure was enjoyed by all.

Young People Guests at Mr. Pontius' Home

The monthly social and business meeting of the Intermediate Endeavor society of Central Christian church was held Monday evening at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Pontius, 508 West College avenue. Seventy-five young people were present for the business session and social time which followed.

Miss Brown Hostess to Etude Club

Miss Hazel Brown, East State street, will entertain the Etude club Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The following musical program will be given:

Piano solo—Lola Markillie.
Vocal solo—Elizabeth Cogswell.
Violin solo—Anna F. Bradley.
Piano duet—Lucille Agnew, Zelma Benson.
Piano on Bach—Dicy Dunlap.
Leading—Esther Claus.
Piano solo—Helen Bennett.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Frank Ludwig helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Edward Cady and son were arrivals yesterday from the northern part of the county.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kitchen spent Sunday with Mrs. Anderson Kitchen of the Lyndonville vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Darr of the southwest part of the county called on city people yesterday.

B. O. Rylesworth of Springfield was a caller on some Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Some show! Elks Jollies.

Dan McCarty of McCarty enjoyed a visit with some of his Jacksonville friends Sunday.

Misses Rose and Theresa Ludwig were city arrivals yesterday from Alexander.

Mrs. Fred Six of the vicinity of Alexander was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Jerry Sullivan was a representative of White Hall in the city yesterday.

Albert Wood of the east part of the county called on city friends yesterday.

Home Talent Play will be re-peated at Christian church, 7:45 tonight. Adm. 10c.

Roy McPherson of Orleans visited Saturday and Sunday in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Arnold of Orleans was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Harry C. Edwards of Barry was here Monday attending to business matters.

E. L. Walker of Hannibal was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Gus M. Seymour of Franklin was attending to the business matters in the city yesterday.

H. W. Whipp of Springfield was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

R. Alexander of Davenport, Iowa, was numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Harry C. Edwards of Barry was here Monday attending to business matters.

Mrs. Ethel Crouse and children came up from Murrayville Sunday for a visit with city friends.

Robinson Strawn and mother were in the city from the vicinity of Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

Frank Johnson of Alexander was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

C. K. Cockrell of Jerseyville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

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H. B. Voges of St. Louis was a visitor yesterday with some of his city friends.

Kenneth Cline of Franklin was attracted to the city yesterday by business interests.

George Stewart of Winchester drove to the city yesterday in his Ford car.

D. M. Keating has gone to Winchester for a visit with the family of Mrs. W. W. Woodall.

Miss Thelma McDonald visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mary Jones on South Kosciusko street.

Mrs. John Flynn of Clemens was one of the shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

Edward Bradley of the southern part of the county called on city people yesterday.

Walter Nortrip of Beardstown was among the business men of the city yesterday.

The front in France entered the German trenches in the vicinity of Bouchavesnes, north of Peronne and also carried out raids successfully to the south of Arras. In the latter sector the German positions were bombed and many casualties were inflicted on the occupants.

Heavy artillery activity is in progress in the Acre and Somme sectors according to Berlin. The German war office reports the stopping of a French attack at Ripton and also the destruction of 16 entente airplanes and two captive balloons in attacks by the Germans.

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On the other fronts except in Mesopotamia and Persia where it is issued that both the British and Russians are still harassing the Turks, only minor operations have been reported. As yet the full details of the capture of Bagdad by the British have not been made public altho announcement was made in the British house of commons but there was reason to believe two-thirds of the Turkish artillery had been captured by the British or thrown into the Tigris and that in addition large numbers of prisoners and quantities of materials of all kinds were taken.

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At the same time and place E. R. Strawn will sell a large assortment of new and second hand farm implements of all kinds.

TWO AUTOS WILL BE SOLD

Kaiser & Reif will sell one Overland and one International touring car. Used cars, but in mighty fine condition.

TERMS—CASH OR BANKABLE NOTE

Lunch Served on the Ground.

Come to the sale and while you are here you are cordially invited to inspect my breeding stock for the season of 1917.

Room 303 Ayers Bank Building

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will offer at public sale at his sale and breeding barn in Alexander, Ill., beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., on

Thursday, March 15

The Following Described Personal Property:

30 Head Horses and Mules

Including some Standard Bred Drivers and some Good Work Horses and Mules. Also the

Trotting Stallion, "Paroloy"

Standard and registered, No. 45267, Volume 18. Trots the half mile around 1:06 and is a good breeder. Paroloy is a seal brown, 16 hands high strong, and has weighed 1,350 pounds. He has speed, size and a good disposition. His colts are all fine.

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Next Wednesday, March 14

A \$50,000 Moving Picture Feature

'Building of Our Nation'

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Life at Mooseheart

More Than 5000 Feet of Film

Tells a story of absorbing interest.

There's nothing elsewhere in the world like the village of Mooseheart where orphan children are cared for with all the comforts of home and are given a chance for ordinary and vocational education.

W. Lee Provol, national lecturer for three states, will be here and explain the picture as it appears on the screen.

ALSO GOOD VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTION

Two Matinee and Two Evening Performances

ADMISSION TEN CENTS

School children admitted free to the matinee. Every child in Jacksonville is invited to see this picture.

The
Merritt Store

Having purchased the general store of W. D. Hitt, Jr., at Merritt, I now offer—

GROCERIES, CLOTHING

DRY GOODS

and a

LARGE

GENERAL STOCK

Will also carry a complete line of

FARMING

IMPLEMENT

Low operation cost makes it possible to sell at low prices.

E. B. CHRISMAN
Merritt, Ill.

Milton Seymour, who had been for a time in Colorado for the benefit of his health and was called back by the death of his father will probably remain here now as his health is much improved.

Mrs. Belle Potts and Mrs. Roy Tunison have returned from a short stay at their homes in White Hall to continue their work in behalf of the Royal Neighbors of this city. They are engaged in recruiting members and are doing good work.

In the Chicago Apparel Gazette, a fine magazine devoted to the clothing trade, appears a group of prominent clothing men at a recent convention at Emporia and in the group is H. M. Capps, president of the woolen mills company of this city. At the convention Mr. Capps read a paper, a part of which has been printed in the Journal.

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WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED



JUST ARRIVED

Georgette Crepe—Crepe de Chine

40 inches wide in complete line of colors. Your choice of either cloth, regularly sold for \$2.00 yard—special price \$1.50.

SILKS! SILKS!

Anything in Silks are the proper Dress Materials today. Fancy Silks the newest. Yard wide Fancy Silks in Messaline or Taffeta—very popular now for

Bear in Mind Our Millinery This Season.

ALWAYS CASH

Floreth Co.

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GEN. WOOD TURNS ON SPEAKER AT DINNER

Declares Doctrine Dr. Berle Preaches "Means the Murder of Our Sons and the Dishonor of Our Women."

New York, March 12.—Major General Leonard Wood stirred by a criticism of compulsory military service in an address at a banquet of the economic club here tonight, turned on the speaker, the Rev. Adolf A. Berle, widely known as a lecturer on educational topics, and declared that the doctrine he preaches "means the murder of our sons and the dishonor of our women."

General Wood had addressed the diners earlier in the evening. He asked for a second hearing after Dr. Berle had arraigned the advocates of compulsory military service and asserted that with three months' training he could "hold his own with any officer in the field."

Dr. Berle had said that preparedness had been "harped upon by every secretary of war for thirty years"

and added that he saw no reason to become hysterical and attempt to organize an army in fifteen minutes larger than the Prussian army before the war which required 100 years to perfect.

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H. J. & L. M. SMITH

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Miss Helen Crain has returned to her home in Roodhouse after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cruse on South West street.

Miss Julia McCarty and James Murphy of Springfield visited Miss Nellie Sullivan of East Dunlap street Sunday.

Some show! Elks Jollies.

Misses Edna and Sylvia Grey have the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. returned to Waverly after a visit at J. P. Moxon on South Clay avenue.

MAY SECURE EXEMPTION FROM CARRANZA DECREE

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The new Lloyd-George government bill meet the first difficult hurdle in the house of commons Wednesday when parliament will be asked to authorize a new policy in India in placing a protective duty on cotton goods.

Special preparation are being made by all parties in anticipation of a critical division.

The reply of J. Austen Chamberlain, secretary for India, to a delegation representing all sections of the Lancashire cotton industry today seemed to imply that the government intended to stand fast by its decision in which case there would be a straight fight between the protectionists and free-traders in parliament, and at the moment it is impossible to foresee the result, the ordinary party cleavages being disturbed by the war.

STRIKE BREAKERS OPERATE CAR LINES.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Practically one half the street railway lines of the capital were being operated today by strike breakers.

The other half, owned by another company, was running as usual with regular men who had come to terms with their employers.

Recognition of the union was the chief question.

Service on the lines under strike, while infrequent, was being maintained without disorder.

REFEREE STOPS BOUT.

Youngstown, O., March 12.—George Chip, in the fourth round of their bout here tonight after about a minute of fighting, sent Bob Moha, staggering into his corner and the referee stopped the bout. The men were middle weights.

LEONARD OUTPOINTS TILLMAN.

Philadelphia, March 12.—Benny Leonard, the New York lightweight

W. H. Fuller
—Will Sell—
65 Head of
Horses and
Mules
SATURDAY
March 17, 1917

Packard's Barn

MEATS

REASONABLY
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CUTS WELL SLICED
And kinds both fresh and
salt,

And with the quality you
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Specials for This Week

2 large 10c packages of
Macaroni or Spaghetti for
15c.
2 large 10c packages corn
flakes, 15c.
1 large 15c package California Figs, 10c.
1 lb. imported Citron 15c.

Zell's Grocery
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YOU, first of all--

You will never know what really good clothes you can buy—distinctive clothes that are modest in price, yet differing in almost every essential from the ordinary—until you have made up your mind to test tailored-to-order clothes—by wearing them.

We are showing more than 500 beautiful and exclusive patterns and all the approved fashions. The materials are rich; the workmanship perfect; and we can fit and satisfy any man who comes.

You may confidently look to us for authentic fashions; perfect fit; "classy" clothes. We make a business not only of knowing what's correct, but of having it ready for your selection.

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CHINA MAY BREAK RELATIONS ANY TIME.

Further Developments Looking to Break with Germany are Reported to State Department.

BULLETIN.
PEKING, Sunday, March 11.—The senate today approved the severance of relations with Germany by a vote of 152 to 37. It is expected that the government will take action to this end tomorrow (Monday).

Washington, March 12.—Further developments looking to a severance of relations with Germany by China were reported to the state department today by Minister Reinsch at Peking with the prediction that a final rupture might be expected at any time. There is no intimation from any source that China is prepared as yet actually to join in the war against Germany, altho diplomatic circles here confirm Peking despatches saying the entente, led by Japan, is urging the Peking government to declare war and exchange her large supplies of iron and other warlike materials for permission to increase her custom duties and postponement of her Boxer indemnities. The appeal by the former president, Dr. Sun Yat Sen, to Premier Lloyd-George of England to stop the allies from trying to bring China into the war attracted much interest here and provoked discussion of the question as to whether drastic action by the Chinese government would be supported by the people or would lead to popular uprising. Dr. Sun is realized to have tremendous influence in the south of China.

EXTOL AND DENOUNCE STEEL CORPORATION

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The United States Steel Corporation was alternately extolled and denounced today before the supreme court as arguments continued in the federal anti-trust dissolution suit. Fair treatment by the corporation of customers, competitors and employers, without monopolistic or unfair trade practices was claimed by R. V. Lindabury, counsel for the defendants.

"An abnormal, illegal and grossly over-capitalized, colossal super-combination of combinations," was how the corporation was characterized by Henry E. Colton, special assistant to the attorney general.

Mr. Lindabury denied the corporation has the power or disposition to oppress competitors and asserted that only the government—not customers or competitors—had complained of its effect.

Albany, N. Y., March 12.—The resolution to provide for referendum on the woman suffrage question at the state election next November was adopted by the senate tonight by a vote of 39 to 7.

Tonight's action was the last step in the legislative procedure preliminary to referring the subject to the electorate. The measure is concerned with amending the state constitution and consequently does not have to receive the approval of the governor.

**SHACKLETON TO GO
INTO WAR SERVICE**

London, March 12.—Sir Ernest Shackleton the explorer not at Sydney, Australia, says he is going into active war services, according to a Reuter dispatch from that place.

GIVE OUT CUSTOM

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WILL NOT CHOOSE MAN IN TIME FOR SESSION

CONCORD, N. H., March 12.—The successor to Congressman Cyrus Sullivan, who died at Washington Saturday night, will not be chosen in time to take his seat when congress convenes in special session in April 16, it became known today. Although it had been believed the governor intended to call an election in the first district within a few days, examination of the statutes showed that fifty-seven days must elapse from the date upon which a rescript is issued before the election can be held.

Governor Keyes, without indicating when he would make the call, stated he had found that under the law it was his duty to issue a rescript for a new election forthwith.

EXPECT CREST OF OHIO FLOOD TODAY.

Water Now Rising Only Four-tenths of a Foot An Hour.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 12.—The amount of water pouring into the Ohio river from the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers had lessened tonight and the Ohio at the point bridge was reported by the weather bureau to be rising only four-tenths of a foot an hour. The crest of the flood, it was predicted would be reached at twenty-five feet early tomorrow.

Melting snow combined with last night's heavy rains over the water sheds was given as the cause for high stages.

HIGH WATER IN TWENTY YEARS.

Charleston, W. Va., March 12.—Messages received at the United States weather bureau here tonight from towns along the Elk river tell of the highest water in more than twenty years. Portions of the towns of Sutton, Burnsville and Orlando are under water.

STATES "CAPTIVES" RAN GAUNTLET OF CLUBS

SEATTLE, Wash., March 12.—In reviewing conditions that culminated in the riot at Everett, Wash., last Nov. 5, when two members of a sheriff's posse and five members of a free speech expedition were killed, W. R. Booth, a member of the posse, testified at the trial in the superior court here today of Thomas A. Tracy, accused of the murder of Deputy Sheriff Beard, that last October, he and another citizen escorted a party of "free speech" advocates to Beverly Park, a suburb south of Everett and that he heard subsequently that "captives" were made to run a gauntlet of clubs, and then were warned not to return to Everett.

The witness stated he did not learn until he had reached Beverly Park of the plan to beat the "captives" and that as he did not approve of such methods he immediately left the scene. He declared there were about 41 captives and that the citizen party might have numbered 60.

WILL CIRCULATE PETITION.

New York, March 12.—With a view it was said "to give an opportunity to citizens, men and women, to make known their opinion on the protection of American citizens and vessels from unlawful attack" Mayor Mitchel's committee on national defense announced tonight that he would begin the circulation of a petition for signatures. Hotels, clubs, political headquarters, telegraph and public offices and police stations will be asked to co-operate.

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MAKE LITTLE PROGRESS IN SELECTING JURY.

Two More Days May Be Required to Complete Jury to Try Mrs. Stella Newton Moore Smith of Denver

Denver, Colo., March 12.—Little real progress was made today in the selection of a jury to try Mrs. Stella Newton Moore Smith accused of the murder of her husband, John L. Smith, of Denver. Thirty-five talesmen were examined. Two were excused, ten were "passed for cause" by the state, and the others were challenged for cause by the state. Attorneys estimated at least two more days would be required to fill the box with accepted jurors.

The district attorney, William E. Foley, asked each talesman: "Have you any conscientious scruples against capital punishment?"

Most of them answered in the affirmative. A few said they had "in this case."

One talesman, John C. Scranton, was asked "would the fact that the defendant is a woman have any influence with you?"

"It would," he answered. "I came from the south and we don't hang 'em down there."

Scranton was excused, challenged for cause.

TAKE STEPS TO BUILD COAST PATROL BOATS

Builders Give Assurances That Deliveries Can Be Begun Within Four Months.

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Representatives of the major shipbuilders also appeared at the department during the day bringing data concerning their corporations and plants for which Secretary Daniels recently asked.

Secretary Daniels announced that bids for six scout cruisers of the 35 knot type designed last year would be opened Wednesday. Contracts for battle cruisers will be awarded soon on the basis of cost and ten per cent profit already agreed upon with the builders.

CHARGE HINDU WITH VIOLATING NEUTRALITY

NEW YORK, March 12.—Hermann L. Gupta, a Hindu student at Columbia University was arraigned today on a charge of violating the neutrality of the United States by conspiring with Franz Von Papen, former German military attaché to this country to organize a military enterprise here to free India from British rule. He was held in \$5,000 bail for the federal grand jury after waiving examination.

The complainant states that Von Papen at various times paid to the student large sums of money to send him to Japan in furtherance of the enterprise. The bail of Dr. Chandra Chakrabarty another Hindu and Ernest Sekunna a German chemist both held on similar charges was reduced from \$25,000 to \$5,000. Chakrabarty, Sekunna and Gupta obtained bail thru a surety company and were released.

MACHINE GUN STOLEN

Fort Bliss, Texas, March 12.—It became known today that a machine gun belonging to the seventeenth United States cavalry was stolen from the machine gun platoon quarters here two days ago. An investigation has been ordered and a search is being made both on the American and Mexican sides of the river.

FIRE ON PASSENGER TRAIN

Juarez, March 12.—Salazar's band of Villistas fired into a Mexican Central passenger train at Laguna station Saturday killing 45 of the de facto government escort and wounding three passengers, according to employees of the Mexican Central here today. They also said twenty of Salazar's men were killed and twenty-two wounded.

BRAZILIAN CONSUL SUICIDES

London, March 12.—Carlos Kaefer, Brazilian consul-general in Vienna has committed suicide following an abortive attempt at self-destruction by his wife, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the central news. Mr. Kaefer's act was prompted by the death of his wife.

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CONDENSED STATEMENT
As Reported to the United States Government at the Close of Business
MARCH 5, 1917.

Loans and Discounts	\$1,403,214.50
Overdrafts	8,659.30
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	828,747.64
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48
Real Estate	2,281.13
Cash and Exchange	1,092,739.04
	\$3,547,449.09
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Undivided Profits	169,758.06
Circulating Notes	200,000.00
Deposits	2,977,691.03
	\$3,547,449.09

THE STATE CHEMIST SAYS

I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner in Road District No. 8. Election April 3rd. Clifton Corrington.

I hereby announce myself candidate for Road Commissioner District No. 8 for full term.

Henry Ruble.
I hereby announce myself candidate for road commissioner, for District No. 8. Lloyd Magill.

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THE Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, dissolves gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys. If not sold by druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonial from "The United States," Dr. E. W. Hall, 2226 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists—Adv. •

DEATH CALLS OLDEST RESIDENT OF CITY

Mrs. Johanna Vieira, Born in 1821, Taken Sunday — J. W. Coultas Dies in Michigan—Mortuary Record.

Mrs. Johanna Vieira died at Passavant hospital at 5:25 o'clock Sunday morning after an illness of three weeks.

Deceased was the daughter of John and Mary Goveia and was born in the island of Madera in 1821. When she was eight years of age her mother died and as was the custom of that country her father hired her to a woman named Jacinto, where she was put at herding goats for which her father received for her services a sum equivalent to \$1 a year.

She remained with this woman for 12 years. At the age of 20 she went to keep house for her father. At the age of 30 years she was married to Antonio N. Vieira. They came to this country with a number of other families in 1854. They first lived with the family of John Nunes, north of the city. In a short time Mr. Vieira purchased two acres of timber land. Sanders Nunes, one of the pioneer builders of that period erected a log house for Mr. and Mrs. Vieira from timber cleared from the land. They lived there for a number of years or until the husband died forty years ago.

At the time of her husband's death all of the children were at home, except the eldest one. Mrs. Vieira kept the children together for a number of years. Then her son John N. was married and she went to live with him where she remained until his wife died. She then lived with other children until her death.

Mrs. Vieira was the mother of nine children. One died in the old country and three preceded her in death here. Those surviving are: Antonio Vieira of this city, John N. Vieira of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Lou Smith, Mrs. Josie Vasconcellos of this city, and Mrs. Carrie Thomas of Gibson City. She also leaves 22 grandchildren and 36 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Vieira was for many years a member of Northminster church. She followed the teachings of the Master in her everyday life and was a devout worshipper so long as health permitted her to attend services.

Funeral services will be held from Northminster church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the pastor, Rev. Walter E. Spoots. Coultas

J. W. Coultas, a former resident of this vicinity, died recently at his home near St. Joseph, Mich. Of him the Clinton, Ill., Morning Journal says:

James Wilson Coultas was born October 6, 1850, near Winchester, Ill. He was a son of George and Ezra Wilson Coultas, and one of nine children, the following of whom survive: George Coultas of Murrayville, Ill.; Richard H. Coultas of Winchester, Ill.; and the Rev. T. L. Coultas of Jersey City, N. J. Besides these he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Beatty Coultas, a son and a daughter.

He was a graduate of the Wesleyan university of Bloomington, Ill., also a student in the University of Oxford, England.

He was for twenty-five years a teacher and professor in the public schools of the state of Illinois, serving for seven years as city superintendent of the public schools of Clinton.

He was a member in good standing of the M. E. church.

He was a Knight Templar; also a member of the Modern Woodmen. He was for a number of years in the real estate business in the city of Chicago but the latter years of his life were spent in his country home near St. Joseph, Michigan, where he died March 3, 1917, after a short illness. He was buried in Woodlawn cemetery, Clinton, Ill.

Waters.

Ernest Waters died Monday morning at 4 o'clock at his home south of Orleans after a two years' illness. The young man has always lived in Morgan county and previous to his illness was engaged in farming.

Surviving the deceased are the mother, three brothers, Charles, Thurman and Lester Waters and two sisters, Lela and Harriet Waters. The father passed away about eight years ago.

The funeral will be held Wednesday forenoon at 11 o'clock at Youngblood Baptist church, near Nortonville. Burial will be made in Youngblood cemetery.

Carls.

William Carls, one of the well known and best respected citizens of Arenzville, passed away Monday morning at 12:30 o'clock after an illness of several years' duration. Death was due to hardening of the arteries.

Mr. Carls was born sixty-five years ago north of Arenzville, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Carls. Surviving are the and four children: Mrs. Herbert Huss, Beardstown; Mrs. A. F. Streuter, Arenzville; Mrs. Viola Barnett, Chicago, and one son, Arthur Carls, residing west of Arenzville. Two grandchildren survive Mr. Carls. Deceased was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran church. He was a man of industrious habits and upright life, taking his stand always for honesty and fair dealing.

Funeral services will be held at St. Peters church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Gordon will be in charge and interment will be made in the cemetery near by.

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After spending the earlier years of his life in Champaign county and following his marriage here Mr. Becraft moved to Kentucky, where he acquired extensive land and live-

stock interests. The family was prominent for many years in Morgan county and the late Aquilla Becraft, long resident here, was the grandfather of the deceased.

Mr. Becraft was member of the Christian church at Millersburg, Ky., and lived in such a way that he had the respect and admiration of all who knew him. The deceased is survived by his daughter, Mrs. James T. Jefferson and one grandson. A son, Reynolds Becraft, preceded him in death about two years ago.

The funeral will be held at Millersburg, tomorrow, and interment will be there.

Neill.

J. F. Neill, resident of Arcadia for more than fifty years died at his home in that village at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon of pneumonia after an illness of only a few days.

Deceased was the son of William and Sarah Neill and was one of a family of 13 children. He was born in Trumbull county, Ohio, May 17, 1837. When he was quite small his parents moved to Knox County, Ohio. They remained there until the deceased was nine years of age when they removed to Morgan county, settling at Arcadia where he has since resided. Several of the children died in infancy and he was the last surviving member.

He was united in marriage to Miss M. E. Hall, January 3, 1861. The marriage took place at the home of J. W. Crum. To this union seven children were born, two of whom, William D. and Edgar O. Neill preceded him in death. Besides his wife there are surviving: Mary C. Rudisill, Nathan E. Neill, Ida M. Hitchens, Sally C. Deatherage and Elsie B. Rexroat, all residing in this country.

When a youth Mr. Neill learned the blacksmith's trade. For many years he followed that occupation and conducted a shop in Arcadia. He retired from active work about five or six years ago tho he continued to do a little work at times for his friends.

Mr. Neill was on Odd Fellow of long standing. He joined Arcadia Lodge No. 92 L. O. O. F. and a week ago last Saturday night he was presented with a 50th year veteran's jewel at the regular meeting of the lodge.

About eight years ago Mr. Neill submitted to a serious operation at Our Savior's hospital and it was feared at the time that he would not recover. However, he regained his health and was in excellent physical condition until his last illness.

Mr. Neill was a man who commanded the respect of all who knew him. During many years of residence in Arcadia he maintained a name for integrity and honesty among his neighbors that will be handed down as a priceless legacy to his children. In his death the country loses an honorable and substantial citizen.

Funeral services will be held from Arcadia church Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with burial in Arcadia cemetery.

Roberts.

Miss Julia Ann Roberts, a patient at the State hospital, died suddenly yesterday morning while sitting in her chair. Under the circumstances it was thought best to have an inquest which was done and the verdict of the jury was death by cerebral hemorrhage with no blame attaching to the officials or employees of the institution.

Higbee.

Charles M. Higbee, formerly of Waverly, passed away Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. J. McCarty of Peabody, Kan. Tuberculosis was the cause of death. Two sons survive, Fred and Vernon Higbee, both of Virden, as well as two daughters, Mrs. Lura Pierson and Miss Higbee, at home. Dr. W. O. Swales is a nephew of the deceased and Mrs. O. H. Jones is a niece. The remains will be brought to this city for burial.

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WITH THE SICK

Mrs. W. H. Anderson, who is ill at her home on East College street, still remains in a serious condition. It is Mrs. Anderson's third attack of the disease and it is proving very severe.

Mrs. John Koenig of 612 East Court street, who has been suffering from poisoning caused by an ulcerated tooth, is now somewhat improved.

T. F. Douglass returned Sunday to his home on South Main street, from Passavant hospital, where he has been a patient.

William Sauer is ill of pneumonia at his home on East State street.

Patrick Sheehan is ill of pneumonia at his home on Hardin avenue.

Francis Shanahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Shanahan, is ill at his home south of the city. The boy is a sufferer with pneumonia.

Several cases of measles have been reported near Alexander. Claude Bearp, Jr., is a sufferer as is the little daughter of Ralph Miller. Clarence Trent, north of Alexander, has measles in his home.

Richard Dodsworth is quite ill at his home on South East street.

Pneumonia was feared for a time but it appears to have been checked.

BROKE LEG BY FALL.

Friends here have received information that Neil Duckels at Santa Monica, Cal., recently fell and broke his leg. The accident happened some weeks ago and Mr. Duckels is now going about on crutches.

S.S.S.

S.S.S. is the only proper remedy for this breaking out of the skin, because it acts upon the blood, cleansing and revitalizing it, and removing the cause of infection. It should be borne in mind that **S.S.S.** is purely vegetable, made from native roots, herbs and bark, and that it contains no habit-forming drugs or other injurious ingredients. Obtain a bottle of **S.S.S.** from your druggist and if you need the advice of a physician, write to the Medical Department, Swift Specific Co., 301 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

Wilson & Harding's Specials

Best grade Early Ohio Seed Potatoes \$3.20 per bu., while they last.

We will still sell the 15c Ginger Snap for 10c per pound.

Walnut Bon Bon Cookies, 40c value, sale price 25c per pound.

Onion Sets, white and red, 20c per quart.

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Both Phones West State Street

The Boils Of Lazarus

were eased by the dogs who licked the infected places, but they were not cured. Many modern people employ the same method in their treatment of boils, pimples, rashes, carbuncles, eczema and other skin diseases. They apply a salve or lotion to the sore places and fond

Hopper's SPRING SHOWING

Thursday, March 15th



We invite you to go over our spring showing of footwear styles. Carefully selected styles from reputable makers.

There is a very great variety of pretty new styles in shoes and slippers to make your selection from. See our windows.



SPRINGFIELD AGREES ON CENTENNIAL PLANS.

Improvements Contemplated Include Repaving and Widening of Streets — Postoffice to Use Special Die.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Springfield, Ill., March 12.— Springfield, apparently realizing her duty as capital of Illinois, is preparing her best garb for the celebration of the centennial celebration of the admission of Illinois to the union, which will be held throughout the state in 1918 with the chief exercises here.

City officials already have agreed on a plan of improvement, which will cost in the neighborhood of half a million dollars, part of the amount to be realized by issuing bonds.

The entire downtown district is to be repaved and many of the streets will be widened and beautified by the installation of ornamental lighting systems. In addition all overhead wires, according to the improvement scheme, will be placed underground.

For several weeks a special committee, at the head of which is the president of the Commercial association, has been hard at work.

The celebration is in charge of the Illinois Centennial commission created by the legislature and is being partially directed by the State Historical Library. It is the purpose to extend the celebration into every county in the state.

Springfield, Ill., March 12.—As a part of the state centennial celebration, the Springfield postoffice will be permitted, between April 1 and December 1, 1918, to use an elaborate cancellation die contributing to the patriotic spirit of the celebration. Use of the special die was

ATTENTION ELKS!

The first stated meeting of Jacksonville Lodge 682, B. P. O. Elks, has been postponed to March 21st.

Electing of officers, initiation, etc. Don't forget the date. Don't fail to come.

H. P. Obermeyer, Ex. R. E. Alexander, Sec'y.

III. IN CALIFORNIA.

The condition of Newton Campbell of Merritt, Ill. in a Southern California hospital, has been showing improvement from day to day, according to word received by relatives in Merritt. Norman Campbell, his son, will remain in California until Mr. Campbell is able to travel.

If you are a stout man and have had trouble to get a suit to fit, try one of J. Capps & Sons special measure suits from TOMLINSON'S.

G. N. REDMAN BUYS FINE HORSE

A recent issue of the Barry Record contains a letter written by W. A. McDaniel in which he tells of his recent visit to Henry, Ill., where he purchased for G. N. Redman of Barry a stallion, "Hank O'Dell," sired by "Moko," said to be the best son of "Byron Wilkes." According to Mr. McDaniel, "Moko" is the second best stallion in the world, being exceeded alone in fine points by "Peter the Great." Mr. Redman's new purchase was driven by Thomas Murphy at a two year old trial in 2-15½ and was given a standard record of 2-17½.

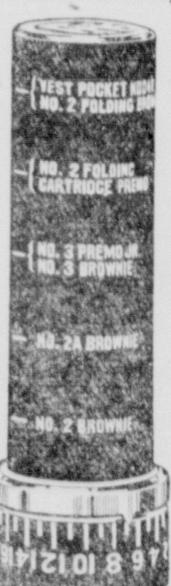
In his letter Mr. McDaniel says: "Hank O'Dell" is a beautiful dark bay with white hind feet. He stands 15½ hands high and weighs 1100 lbs. He is a toppy, attractive individual, good knee action, a show horse, a race horse and a sire. He wears few boots and has the racing instinct as inherited from a long line of kings and queens of the race course."

SEED TAPE, ALL KINDS. Also the very best lawn grass seed, onion sets and bulk seed. Hoes rakes, spading forks, plows in endless variety. Prices right, too.

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Don't forget our fine Chocolate Candy, full lbs. at 39c.

Next week St. Patrick Chocolates at 39c the pound—just the thing for St. Patrick's Day.

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Drug Stores
EAST AND WEST SIDE SQUARE

COUPLE KILLED WHEN CAR PLUNGED OFF BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wellenreitter of Cass County Victims of Accident—Dead Bodies Found Several Hours Later—Infant Child Survives.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wellenreitter of Hickory neighborhood, Cass county were instantly killed about 11 o'clock Sunday morning when the car in which they were riding crashed thru the railing of a bridge at Horrom hill, two miles north of Virginia.

Mr. Wellenreitter's head was crushed and his neck, back and arms broken. Mrs. Wellenreitter was pinned fast downward, the door of the car resting on the back of her neck. A four months old babe she was holding in her arms was uninjured except a slight blister on its face.

FELL DISTANCE OF 25 FEET
While there were no witnesses to the accident, it is thought that some part of the steering gear broke as there was no sign that the car had skidded. When the car broke thru the railing it dropped a distance of 25 feet and turned upside down.

The party was on the way to visit Mrs. Wellenreitter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hagener near Arenzville when the accident occurred. The bodies were not discovered until nearly 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

The road is a branch of the state road and is not traveled to any great extent. A man named Needham living at Anderson station passed the scene about noon and saw the car but as he could not see the bodies he thought the car had been abandoned and did not investigate.

Later some children named Hankins passed the scene and discovered the bodies and gave the alarm. Neighbors rushed to the scene and took the bodies from under the car and physicians and an undertaker were summoned from Virginia.

INFANT CHILD SURVIVES
Dr. Blackburn responded to the call and took the infant to his residence in Virginia where he placed it in the care of his wife. The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Wellenreitter were taken to Virginia and placed in the undertaking parlor of King and Ballou.

Mr. Wellenreitter was the son of Mrs. Thomas Dickens and was raised in the vicinity of Bethel. He was about 24 years of age. His wife was formerly Miss Mattie Hagener. She was 22 years of age and was married to Mr. Wellenreitter about two years ago. She is survived by her parents and one brother and one sister.

The following jury was empaneled by Coroner Lyons: Matt Swartwood, foreman; J. E. Killian, clerk; Jacob Davis, W. C. McNeely, clerk; D. Lyons and H. Sorrells. The jury returned a verdict that death was caused by the car turning over but were unable to determine whether it was caused by a broken steering gear or otherwise as no witnesses were present.

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MRS. M'LAUGHLIN WILL OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

Long Time Resident of Scott County is 87 Years Old—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Peak Have Remarkable Record.

Mrs. Caroline Walker of Scott county will today celebrate her 87th birthday in a quiet, unostentatious manner. Her maiden name was Caroline M. T. Walker and she was born in Clark county, Kentucky, May 13, 1837 and was the daughter of James and Susannah Darneille Walker. The family moved to this county and settled near Lynvillle in 1837. She is the last of eleven children and with the exception of one who died in infancy the average age of the others was more than eighty. The ten were composed of seven boys and three girls and she reversed that and had seven girls and three boys. The daughters are all dead. Of the sons, George R. and Hardin live in or near Winchester and Eli in Jacksonville. She was married Dec. 12, 1848 and her husband died Sept. 9, 1892.

To her sons would gladly have her live with them, like many other elderly people she prefers to have a home of her own and lives with a niece who tenderly cares for her. She enjoys good health and takes much pleasure in life. Eli McLaughlin, one of the sons, resident here, has returned from a visit to his mother.

While in Winchester Mr. McLaughlin also visited at the home of Jacob Reeder Peak and wife, a very remarkable couple. Mr. Peak was born in McMahan county, Tenn., Nov. 20, 1828 and came with the family to this state five years later. On the way he fell under the wagon and a wheel passing over his left arm broke it and imperfect treatment left it somewhat deformed.

He was married Oct. 19, 1849 to Mary Elizabeth Young who was born in Scott county April 4, 1832 and today lives on the same farm her husband having bought it of her father. They were the parents of eight children six of whom survive: Howard, the oldest, and Dolly, the youngest, are dead. The surviving ones are Albert, James Y., George J., Alice, Mrs. Wm. Hamilton, Estella, Mrs. Edward Hamilton, Kate, Mrs. George Stewart. They also have 25 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Altho about 88 years of age Mr. Peak still superintends the work on his farm and gets about more actively than many men less aged. Mrs. Peak is also remarkably well preserved and presides at the table and over her household with dignity and grace befitting a lady of any atmosphere. Both possess their faculties to a remarkable degree and bid fair to live for years to come. They are generous and hospitable and always welcome company at their hospitable home. They are consistent members of the Baptist church and are pillars in the religious organization and important members of the community in the vicinity of the capital of Scott county.

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GRAND MILLINERY OPENING

L. C. & R. E. Henry, the opera house milliners, cordially invite all ladies to witness the grand display of new and attractive millinery Thursday. Everything fine, best and latest.

AT WESTMINSTER
At Westminster church Sunday evening Rev. E. B. Landis gave the sixth in a series of illustrated lectures. "Japan" was his theme and the audience found the pictures the most beautiful and instructive of the series. The address presented a great deal of valuable information about missionary work in Japan and life in general in that country.

Just before the evening service a meeting was held for the organization of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. Forty young people were present and the society starts off in a flourishing way. Supper was served to all of the young people and they were asked to come at an hour which would give plenty of time for full discussion of the work proposed.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY IN ALL DEPARTMENTS, AT HERMAN'S.
FOR STYLISH GARMENTS AND MILLINERY GO TO HERMAN'S.

KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY SELECTS CONTESTANTS.

Kappa Gamma society of Jacksonville High school held a preliminary contest in declamation Monday afternoon and Misses Carol Hall, Margaret Irving and Bernice Wood were selected to represent the society in the contest Thursday night. Miss Margaret Todd was taken into membership.

Following are the contestants and their subjects Monday afternoon:

One of Bob's Tramps—Sarah Reese.

Barbara's Bishop—Marian Depew. The Red Death—Margaret Irving. The Day of Judgment—Lucile Straight.

The Hazing of Valiant—Bernice Wood.

How Rubenstein Played—Carol Hall.

Conor—Madelyn Garrison.

Yours very truly,

Antonio Lagoriz.

Largest Dog Led Attack.

Following the receipt of the letter Dr. Duncan advised Messrs. Jenkins & Haxby, in whose employ the boy has been, and the representative of the employers' liability company carrying the risk was advised and it was determined to send Moore to Chicago. Dr. Duncan also read the report to Mr. Zachary, owner of the dogs. When the boy was attacked the largest dog was the leader and it is in the brain of this animal that the cells resembling the "negri" bodies were found.

Dr. Duncan said that it is these bodies which indicate hydrophobia and that while the patient might not develop a case from the bites, that it was certainly wise to take every precaution against such development.

The physician said, moreover, that in view of the finding it was certain that the dogs had been killed and the heads sent for examination, for the finding indicated that if the dog was not affected with rabies at the time of the attack, that surely the rabies would have devel-

Clothes for Boys

The call of Spring suggests the demands for new spring clothes for the boy.

New novelty designs and patterns—

Pinch Back and Patch Pocket Models
\$2 to \$10



TWO PANTS SUITS
\$5 to \$10

Ball and bat given with each boy's suit.

CHILD'S TOP COATS
\$2 to \$5



Children's washable Suits, Junior Norfolks, Tommy Turkans and novelty patterns—long and short sleeves—fast colors—

\$1.00 to \$3.00

BOYS' HATS and CAPS

Child's Rah Rah, Pinch Top and Alpine Hats—

50c to \$1.00

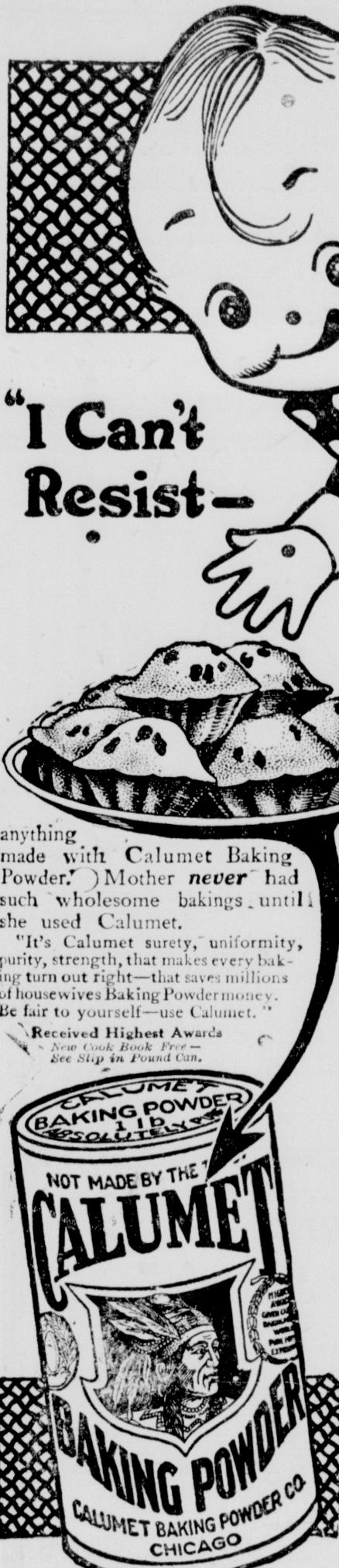
MYERS BROTHERS.

opend at some later time and the amount of damage which would have been done can only be conjectured.

BARR BROWN BUYS CADILLAC EIGHT

S. W. Babbs has received an order from Barr Brown of West State street for a Cadillac 8 Club roadster for early delivery.

CHILD WELFARE WEEK OBSERVANCE PLANNED



GARBAGE DISPOSAL RULES PRESENTED TO COUNCIL

Ordinance Given First Reading at Monday Morning Session—More Water Now Available for Consumers—North Church Street Paving Ordinance

The principal interest at the Monday session of the city council was found in the ordinance presented by Commissioner Martin providing for the free collection and disposal of garbage in the city. This ordinance is to carry into effect action previously taken by the council whereby in accordance with law a tax was levied for the purpose of establishing a garbage disposal department. It is proposed thru a collection system to be established to remove all garbage, ashes, tin cans, etc., free of cost to residents if the conditions outlined are met. The ordinance will have a second reading at the next meeting and it is expected that the system will be in effect early in the month of May.

Church Street Paving Ordinance. The ordinance providing for a tarvia pavement on North Church street was given a second reading and adopted. Under reports of departments Mr. Vasconcellos explained that the rainfall Sunday night so increased the supply that pumping from the creek is now possible. For this reason pumping at Ashely's pond has been temporarily discontinued. Mr. Widmayer asked if the pressure was not a little below normal Sunday night and Mr. Vasconcellos explained that the north side wells had been shut down because of a temporary breakdown of one of the engines at the light plant. The engine was in service again last night so that pressure was normal. Mr. Vasconcellos said that he hoped to shut down the north side wells from time to time as this method resulted in greatly increasing the flow.

More Sewer Trouble.

Mr. Cox made another report on the condition of the South Main street sewer where it has been found advisable to construct a new sewer from a point a short distance north of Anna street to the brook sewer. In the past the Jacksonville Railway & Light company has had exhaust pipes running into the sewer and this has in the opinion of the council resulted in an unsatisfactory condition in the sewer. Furthermore, the hot water and steam will have a serious effect on the tarvia pavement which it is proposed to lay this summer. Therefore the light company has been requested to make other arrangements for the disposal of the waste steam.

Mr. Vasconcellos made mention of a letter he had just received from the water survey enclosing analysis of two samples of water. The commissioner said that there had evidently been some confusion in the matter altho he had plainly marked the jugs indicating the source of the water. The engineer of the survey said in the letter that the analyses indicate that the samples were from the same source. Mr. Vasconcellos said that one sample of water was taken from the creek near the south pumping station and the other from the creek at the north fork. Other matters of minor importance were considered and the council then adjourned.

Garbage Disposal Ordinance.

The provisions of the garbage disposal ordinance are as follows:

Section I. There is hereby created the department of garbage collection and disposal, and the office of superintendent thereof, which department shall constitute a principal department subordinate to the de-

partment of public health and safety. There shall be purchased and kept by the city such apparatus, trucks, wagons and teams as may be necessary for the use of said principal subordinate department, and said department, the superintendent thereof, and all property pertaining thereto, shall be under the jurisdiction and direction of the commissioner of public health and safety.

Section II. Unless otherwise specified the term "garbage" when used in this ordinance shall mean and include ashes, glass, crockery, tin cans which have contained animal or vegetable matter, and all treating of vegetables, fruit, fish or meats, and all wasted material that may attend the use, preparation or storing of household provisions.

Metal Receptacles Required.

Section III. Each producer of garbage shall provide a water-tight, metal receptacle, holding not to exceed twenty gallons, with a close fitting cover, in which the garbage shall be deposited; Provided, that other suitable receptacles may be provided for ashes, such receptacles shall be entirely emptied at least once during each calendar week, and shall be frequently disinfected and kept free from objectionable odors, such receptacles, including those used for ashes, shall be placed for city collection on days designated for such collection by the superintendent of said department, in the alley adjoining the producer's alley, on the curb-line of the adjoining street. If the authorized collector of garbage finds in any such receptacle matter not defined as garbage by this ordinance, he shall not empty or remove the same.

Districts Will Be Outlined.

Section IV. For the purpose of facilitating the collection and disposal of garbage, the superintendent of said department may divide the city into suitable districts, and assign thereto the times for garbage collection, notice whereof may be given by suitable publication or cards of instructions.

Section V. No garbage shall be transported over any of the streets, avenues or alleys in the city of Jacksonville except in vehicles so constructed as to prevent the escape of noxious odors, or the dropping or falling of any part of the contents thereof during transportation.

Section VI. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not less than Five Dollars (\$5.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each offence.

NOTICE.
The recent rains here helped the water supply to such an extent that consumers need not now use the rigid economy we have previously asked. If the shortage again becomes acute we will renew our economy request to the public.
**Joshua Vasconcellos,
Commissioner.**

SWEETHEART OF LINCOLN PASSES AWAY.

Not long since Mrs. Linnie Cheatham died at her home in Winchester at the age of 7 years. It was a proud recollection of hers that at one time she attracted the attention of Abraham Lincoln when he was a young lawyer passing thru the land. Her father was Major F. B. Haggard and was a veteran of both the Mexican and civil wars and at one time conducted an old tavern much patronized by lawyers passing to and fro attending court in different localities. One of these was Abraham Lincoln and he was much pleased with the appearance of the landlord's daughter and wrote a poem which he dedicated to her. It was carefully preserved in an album and was displayed at the Panama exposition at San Francisco.

The young lady afterward taught the primary department of the public schools in Winchester for a number of years.

You are going to be the only one in town if you don't see the Elk's Jollies. Don't miss the show at the Grand Thursday and Friday nights.

WILL MEET TODAY.
The Parent-Teachers association of Franklin and Morton schools will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Franklin school building. Rev. R. B. Wilson, pastor of State Street church, will make an address and Miss Helen Morgan will sing a group of songs.

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Use Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frostbitten feet and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

SOCIAL SERVICE WORKERS WILL HOLD CONFERENCE

Prominent Speakers Will Address Meeting Soon to Be Held in Springfield.

Many Jacksonville people and especially those identified with the work of the Social Service league, will be interested in the second annual conference of social agencies of Springfield, which will be held in the Capitol city next Saturday and Sunday, March 17 and 18. Miller Weir, president of the local social service league, has been requested to attend and he and other local people will probably be present at several of the sessions. The letter of invitation is from Miss Margaret Bergen who is the superintendent of the Springfield associated charities. In her letter Miss Bergen mentioned the fact that F. H. McLean, secretary of the American Society for Organized Charity, will attend the conference. It was under Dr. McLean's direction that the Springfield survey was made two years ago. The program outlined for the conference is as follows:

Saturday, March 17, 3 p. m.

Family Relief Symposium conducted by Professor E. C. Hayes.

"Our Aims in The Needy Family."

Catholic Coterie—Mrs. Henry Thoma.

Washington Street Mission—John Astral.

Churches—Mrs. J. C. Hanna.

Overseer of the Poor—A. B. Cochran.

Associated Charities—Mrs. Stuart Brown.

Hebrew Aid Society—Rabbi I. M. Bloom.

Mothers' Pensions—Miss Caroline Beach.

Uses and Abuses of the Dispensary—Dr. L. M. Beilen.

Care of the Tuberculous at the County Farm—Miss Schlumberger.

Saturday, 8 p. m.

School Attendance—Symposium conducted by the Superintendent, Hugh S. Magill.

From the Officer's Point of View

—Miss Clara Dockum.

From the Teacher's Point of View

—Miss Mary W. Howard.

From the Patron's Point of View

—David Wall, Enos School; Mrs. A. G. Bergen, Matheny school, and Mrs. E. McNameara, Lincoln school.

Report of the Newsboys' club—Max Sherman.

Address—Dr. St. Clair Drake.

Address—Professor E. C. Hayes.

Appointment of Committee on Organization and Nominations.

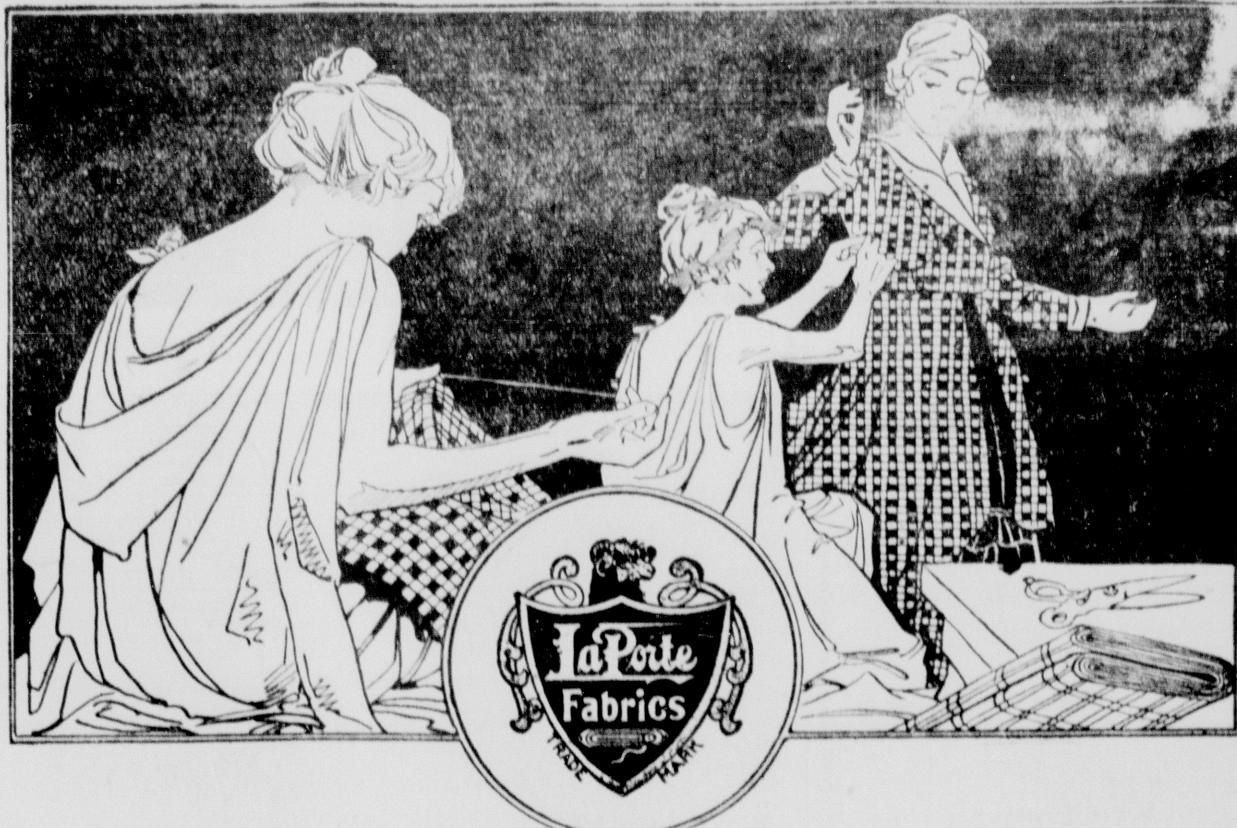
Sunday, March 18th, 3 p. m.

Report on Committee on Organization and Nominations.

Temporary Detention of Insane in Sangamon County Jail—Dr. Frank P. Norbury.

Stereopticon Views of the School for the Feeble Minded—H. C. Harvey.

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SPRING WAISTS

seven miles southeast of the city, reported to the police yesterday that thieves had broken into his smoke house and stolen two 20 pound hams and 48 pounds of rubber junk. Mr. Young offers a reward of \$10 for the apprehension of the thieves.

Willard Williams and Clarence Wright were arrested in Peoria Sunday by the police.

When the Peoria police picked them up it was merely on the charge of being runaway boys.

Chief Davis was notified and told the Peoria police to hold the boys

as they are wanted here on the charge of stealing brass from the Burlington railroad. Officer Baker went to Peoria Monday and brought the boys back Monday evening to answer to the charge.

Rev. W. E. Robertson, a Lutheran pastor and was witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Mrs. Johnson being a sister of the bride.

PUBLIC SALE.

Of twenty head of horses, mules, cattle and farm implements, Wednesday, March 14th, one and one-half miles southeast of Woodson.

Fred and Samuel Henry.

G. S. Catlett of Scottville was a caller in the city Sunday.

He Smiles—

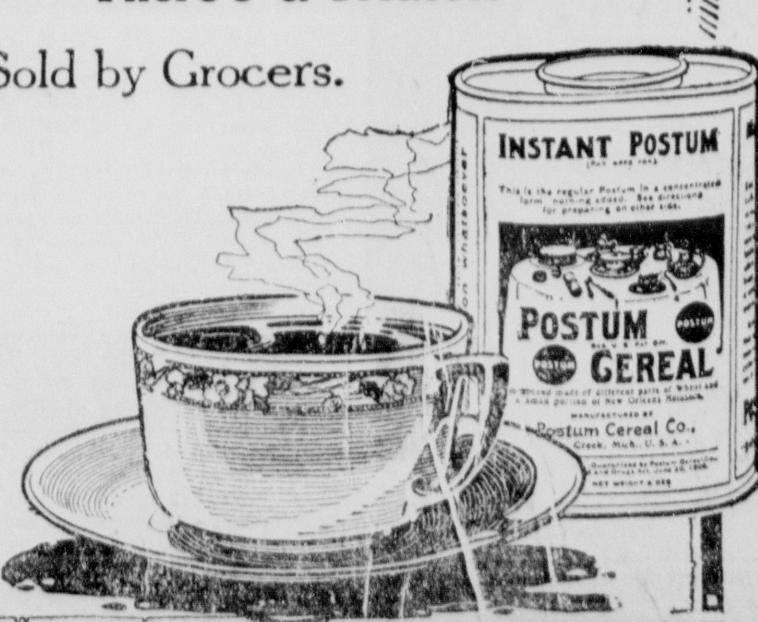
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Ordnance Given First Reading at Monday Morning Session—More Water Now Available for Consumers—North Church Street Paving Ordinance

The principal interest at the Monday session of the city council was found in the ordinance presented by Commissioner Martin providing for the free collection and disposal of garbage in the city. This ordinance is to carry into effect action previously taken by the council whereby in accordance with law a tax was levied for the purpose of establishing a garbage disposal department.

It is proposed thru a collection system to be established to remove all garbage, ashes, tin cans, etc., free of cost to residents if the conditions outlined are met. The ordinance will have a second reading at the next meeting and it is expected that the system will be in effect early in the month of May.

Church Street Paving Ordinance. The ordinance providing for a tarvia pavement on North Church street was given a second reading and adopted. Under reports of departments Mr. Vasconcellos explained that the rainfall Sunday night so increased the supply that pumping from the creek is now possible. For this reason pumping at Ashely's pond has been temporarily discontinued.

Mr. Widmayer asked if the pressure was not a little below normal Sunday night and Mr. Vasconcellos explained that the north side wells had been shut down because of a temporary breakdown of one of the engines at the light plant. The engine was in service again last night so that pressure was normal.

Mr. Vasconcellos said that he hoped to shut down the north side wells from time to time as this method resulted in greatly increasing the flow.

More Sewer Trouble. Mr. Cox made another report on the condition of the South Main street sewer where it has been found advisable to construct a new sewer from a point a short distance north of Anna street to the brook sewer.

In the past the Jacksonville Railway & Light company has had exhaust pipes running into the sewer and this has in the opinion of the council resulted in an unsatisfactory condition in the sewer. Furthermore, the hot water and steam will have a serious effect on the tarvia pavement which it is proposed to lay this summer.

Therefore the light company has been requested to make other arrangements for the disposal of the waste steam.

Mr. Vasconcellos made mention of a letter he had just received from the water survey enclosing analysis of two samples of water.

The commissioner said that there had evidently been some confusion in the matter altho he had plainly marked the jugs indicating the source of the water

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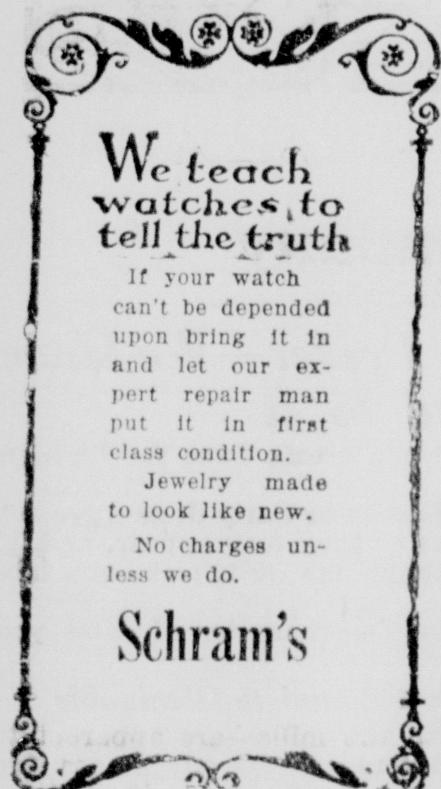
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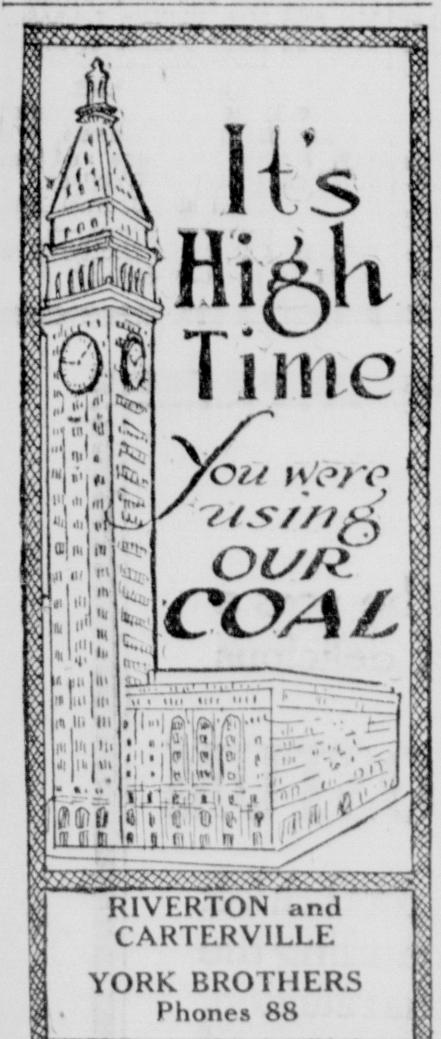
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EXETER.

Mrs. Oscar Clark entertained his birthday in honor of her husband's 74th anniversary. Several of their friends were present and a pleasant day was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mathews have moved to their new home in the north part of town. Mrs. Lillian Beavers of near Bluffs visited at the home of her aunt Mrs. Wardas, Monday.

Miss Verma Mathews is visiting friends in Springfield at present.

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CALLS SPECIAL ELECTION

Albany, N. Y., March 12.—A proclama-
tion calling for a special election
April 12, in the tenth New
York Congress district to fill the va-
cancy caused by the recent death of
representative Michael F. Conroy
a Democrat was issued by Governor
Whitman today. The district has
a large Democratic majority.

JACKSONVILLE TIME TABLE.
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North Bound

Chicago-Pearl accom. then

to Chicago 6:40 am

Pearl-Bloomington accom. 6:45 am

From St. Louis 12:30 pm

Bloomington 1:50 pm

Chicago "Red Hummer" 1:58 pm

No. 3 St. Louis train, arrives 8:45 pm

South and West Bound

Alton-Nightdale to Kings, City 8:35 am

Elgin-Kingsville daily 8:45 am

Kings-City-St. Louis local 10:32 am

St. Louis-Mexico accom. 1:45 pm

Kings City Express 10:55 pm

East Bound

No. 1 local frt., except Sunday 11:20 am

No. 12 9:45 pm

No. 25, daily 6:05 pm

No. 4, daily 8:30 pm

No. 10, twice stop at Junction

West Bound

No. 30, daily 7:49 am

No. 35, returns 11:21 pm

No. 38, local 3:09 pm

No. 39, daily 7:36 pm

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No. 4, daily, except Sunday 11:20 pm

No. 11, daily, except Sunday 4:30 pm

No. 12, daily, except Sunday 6:55 pm

No. 48, daily, except Sunday 2:08 pm

ADOPTION NOTICE

State of Illinois

County of Morgan

To Wade Willman, Mattie Wil-
liam, and all whom it may concern:

Take notice, that on the 10th day

of March, A. D. 1917, a petition was

filed by Altom S. Winey and Louise

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Morgan county for the adoption of

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It will turn a frowns, back it, covering child into a happy smiling one.

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To Avoid Dandruff

You do not want a slow treatment for itching scalp when hair is falling and the dandruff germ is killing the hair roots. Delay means—no hair.

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Get, at any drug store, a bottle of zero for 25c or \$1.00 for extra large size. Use as directed; for it does the work quickly. It kills the dandruff germ, nourishes the hair roots and immediately stops itching scalp. It is a pure, reliable, antiseptic liquid; is not greasy, is easy to use and will not stain clothes or linens.

Soaps and shampoos are harmful, as they contain alkali. The best thing to use for scalp irritations is zero, for it is safe and also inexpensive.

The E. W. Ross Co., Cleveland, O.

You can cure that cold in a day. Take—



The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Comes in two sizes. Grip in 4 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it—25 cents.

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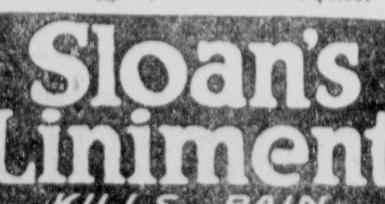


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At all druggists, 25c, 50c, and \$1.00.



MOIST AIR IMPORTANT FOR HEALTH OF FAMILY

Indoor Air in Heated Houses Often Drier than Desert Air Says Medical Authority.

One very important health consideration during the months of winter and early spring is that of keeping the atmosphere of living rooms sufficiently moist. Many ill effects can be traced directly to the lack of natural water vapor in the air. A Jacksonville physician has called attention to the following sketch from a weekly report of the U. S. public health service:

In the January bulletin of the Kansas State Board of Health appears a short article entitled "Aridity of Living Rooms in Cold Weather" by S. D. Flora, observer of the United States Weather Bureau. The author emphasizes the more than artificial dryness of the indoor air of artificially heated houses and buildings throughout the northern part of the United States during the winter. A series of measurements is given of the humidity of both the indoor and outdoor air at the Weather Bureau office in Topeka, Kans., during the winter of 1915-16. The observations were made three times a day—8 a. m., 12 m., and 4 p. m.—indoors and out, with the standard type of whirling psychrometer, over a period of forty days of typical winter weather. The room in which the measurements were made was said to have been a steam-heated, well-ventilated office room, kept at an average temperature of about 72 degrees F. For the period during which the observations were made the average indoor relative humidity was found to be 23 per cent. This is the same average as that obtained in Death Valley, Calif., during the summer of 1891. The outdoor humidity in Topeka at the same time averaged 32 per cent. The average relative humidity during the arid month of the year is stated to be at Yuma, Ariz., 35 per cent; for Santa Fe, N. Mex., 29 per cent; and for Pueblo, Colo., 38 per cent. The air conditions in the residences of Topeka were not essentially different from those in the Weather Bureau office, as was shown by observations on the humidity made in a number of houses in the city.

Indoor air in heated houses and buildings is, in cold weather, usually drier than desert air.

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The officers had seen Reynolds shove something under the bed clothing when he got out of the bed. Search revealed a large revolver which, however, was not loaded. Reynolds claimed that the revolver with which he did the shooting fell from his hand as he attempted to fire the last load in it at Wilkinson. The weapon has not been found and if Reynolds is telling the truth it probably was picked up by someone and carried away.

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He came, as said, "like a thief in the night."

Yes, he came quite unobserved; to come to crush evil and make things "right."

When He has fully served,

He "spewed out" the systems, as He said.

And they wonder, "how that can be?"

He came to give them the "living bread,"

As soon as they clearly, can see,

He chose "that servant," as He declared,

"To give the meat in due season"

And all true "watchers" have faith fully shared.

At His "table," a truth feast, in reason.

Then "come out of here, my people!" is now, the ringing cry;

For those who have the "hearing ear."

And glad to have Him, nigh.

"Come out and ye be separate!

Touch not the unclean thing.

The song of Moses and the Lamb," is now, the song to sing.

"As a potter breaketh vessels"

That do not please His sight,

So now, "The Potter" crushes

The kingdoms, by His might.

Then, when the trouble is ended,

"The King says, "Peace, be still!"

For every knee is bended,

All are ready to "do His will."

"I am the Lord, that healeth thee,"

If you will but obey;

For I will "hasten righteousness,"

In this "thousand-year" day.

Ah, when "this day," is ended

And death shall be no more,

All "perfect"—as intended—

With no one sick or sore.

No longer can you find one poor,

The poor have learned to shout;

Sorrow and tears will be no more,

All in the graves—are out.

Now, in the awful "trouble,"

When neighbors, with famine, are mad.

Think—"He is burning stubble,"

To make the poor world glad.

The Healer is come, that never fails.

He will heal every ache and pain;

The blind, the deaf and lame, of

The ached, and all the insane.

This is the "glad tidings," sent for all,

"Thy King reigneth," and will save all men

From the state of death, who hear His call.

For the Master has come, to heal again.

The awful cloud of trouble,

Has a silver lining, bright,

When He has burned the stubble,

He will rapidly make things "right."

Rev. XL-18; John 5: 28-29.

March 11, 1917. W. W. Crane, M. D.

O. H. Buhman, employed at the jewelry store of Dennis Schram, is quite anxious regarding a brother who is a jeweler at Newcastle, Ind., the place devastated by the fearful storm. Last night he had received no information from him.

GRACE PASTOR'S AID.

The Pastor's Aid society of Grace

M. E. church will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the church.

KENTUCKIAN ARRESTED ON ASSAULT CHARGE

Jack Reynolds Shot Four Times at Rival—Wounded Man in Hospital—Whiskey and a Woman the Double Cause.

As the result of a shooting affray Charles Wilkinson is an Passavant hospital suffering from four bullet wounds and Jack Reynolds is held in prison under bond in the sum of \$1,000 charged with assault with intent to kill.

The shooting occurred at a house at the corner of East Lafayette avenue and Howard street where Reynolds and his brother live. One of the bullets struck Wilkinson in the head, the other entered his side and two in the right arm.

Reynolds was given surgical attention by Dr. W. P. Duncan who says if infection does not set in he will recover. The affray was not reported to Captain Roach of the night police force until about 3 o'clock Sunday morning.

Sunday morning Reynolds was arrested by the day force under Chief Davis at the house where the shooting occurred. Chief Davis went to the house with the entire force. They could see someone whom they supposed to be Reynolds in bed. When they called to the man he did not answer.

Surrendered When Brother Came.

Chief Davis had a number of skeleton keys and after several trials he unlocked the door only to find it bolted on the inside. While he was trying to get into the house the other officers were watching Reynolds. His brother came upon the scene about the time Chief Davis succeeded in unlocking the door. The officers grabbed him and had him call his brother.

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